GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR AIDS CONTROL
V. SAROJA

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to set up a national institute for AIDS control;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the time by which it is likely to be set up; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)

(SHRI N.T. SHANMUGAM)

(a) to (d) No, Sir. The Government of India has already constituted an apex organisation in the country, the `National AIDS Control Organisation` in the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare for the prevention and control of HIV/AIDSVarious institutions in the country are associated with activities related to HIV/AIDS prevention and control.